TENNESSEE GENERAL ASSEMBLY FISCAL REVIEW COMMITTEE



FISCAL MEMORANDUM

SB 1931 - HB 2234

February 25, 2014

SUMMARY OF ORIGINAL BILL: Exempts an individual from certain requirements, allowing such individual to practice surveying in this state, if such person has been trained by and worked under the supervision of a licensed surveyor for 10 years, and has actively been engaged for 6 or more years in land surveying.

FISCAL IMPACT OF ORIGINAL BILL:

Increase State Revenue - \$4,800/FY14-15 and Biennially Thereafter/Board of Examiners for Land Surveyors

IMPACT TO COMMERCE OF ORIGINAL BILL:

Increase Business Expenditures - \$4,800

SUMMARY OF AMENDMENT (013010): Deletes all language after the enacting clause. Makes changes to application, qualification and licensing requirements regarding the Board of Examiners for Land Surveyors.

FISCAL IMPACT OF BILL WITH PROPOSED AMENDMENT:

NOT SIGNIFICANT

Assumptions for the bill as amended:

- According to the Department of Commerce and Insurance, this bill will have no significant fiscal impact upon the Board of Examiners for Land Surveyors.
- Pursuant to Tenn. Code Ann. §4-29-121, all regulatory boards are required to be self-supporting over a two-year period. The Board of Examiners for Land Surveyors had a closing balance of \$195,240 in FY11-12, a deficit of \$139,784 in FY12-13, and a closing reserve balance of \$141,137 on June 30, 2013.

IMPACT TO COMMERCE WITH PROPOSED AMENDMENT:

NOT SIGNIFICANT

Assumption for the bill as amended:

• This is estimated to have no significant impact upon commerce or jobs in this state.

CERTIFICATION:

The information contained herein is true and correct to the best of my knowledge.

Lucian D. Geise, Executive Director

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